Darren M. Deacon—House District 38 Representative—Alaska Republican Party Primary Candidate

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Occupation: Tribal Workforce Development Specialist

Length of Residency in Alaska: Lifelong

Alaskan Communities Lived in: Upper Kalskag

Education: GMSHS graduated class of 1997, Redcom MDXI 2000, Nortel BCM50 2003

Political and Government Positions: Tribal Council President, City Council Member

Business and Professional Positions: Village Native Corporation board member 2016 to present, TKC "The Kuskokwim Corporation"

Service Organization(s) Membership: President of Kalskag nonprofit Search and Rescue

Special Interests: Increasing Technology into Search and Rescue, Fishing, Hunting, Learning the history of the Delta and our Culture, making ipoons and Uluaks, Language revitalization efforts, Cinematography, photography

Position Statement:

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My name is Darren Morgan Deacon -- son of Fred and Betty Turner and Rodney Deacon, grandson of Henry and Dolly Deacon, Harry and Lucy Turner, and of George Morgan, Sr. and Mary Takumjenak and Theresa Nook Morgan.

I am running for State House District 38 to better our region. As a lifelong YK delta resident I feel that we need representatives in the House who will fight to restore a full PFD -- it provides a much needed boost to our local economy -- and to defend our subsistence rights and traditions.

I want to support Search and Rescue efforts in the region, and the volunteers who go out to bring us and our loved ones home.

As a Tribal chief, I have learned a lot about Tribal sovereignty and support measures on both the state and federal level that will give Tribes the power that they deserve. As a Native corporation board member, I have learned the importance of Alaska Native Corporations and the positive work they do for our region, people, and culture.

I am blessed to work as a Tribal Workforce Development Specialist, and have gained valuable knowledge that I can use to help build our local workforce and employment opportunities to help bring good paying jobs to the region.

I humbly ask for your vote this November 6th, and hope to serve you in District 38 as your next State Representative.

